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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 452
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A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Bernice I. and Rex
Isaacs of Roan Mountain, Tennessee.

WHEREAS, the members of the Tennessee General Assembly were deeply saddened
to learn of the tragic consequences of the recent flooding in East Tennessee, and the attendant
loss of life and property; and

WHEREAS, among the innocent victims of this flood were Bernice I. and Rex Isaacs,
who were respected and beloved residents of Roan Mountain; and

WHEREAS, a native of Carter County, Mr. Isaacs was the son of the late Roy and
Bessie Buck Isaacs; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Isaacs was also a native of Carter County and was the daughter of the
late Joseph and Myrtle Clawson Andrews; and

WHEREAS, both sets of parents taught their children the value of hard work, the
importance of following the "Golden Rule" and their moral obligation to help those in need; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Isaacs served his country bravely in the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, he was a highly regarded employee of Henredon Furniture Company of
Spruce Pine, North Carolina from which position he had retired; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Isaacs was a retired employee of Baxter Pharmaceutical in Marion,
North Carolina. Her colleagues fondly remember her exemplary service to the company; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs demonstrated their strong faith as active members of the High Point Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, the Isaacs were the proud parents of the late Virginia Treadway, who was married to the late Joe Treadway; one son, Donnie Hampton, who is married to Helen; and two daughters, Joyce Denton of Roan Mountain who is married to Terry; and Pamela Whisenhunt of Roan Mountain, who is married to Vernon; and grandparents of nine; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should reflect on the tremendous loss that the death of the Isaacs represents for the Roan Mountain area and pause to honor their memory; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we honor the memory of Bernice I. And Rex Isaacs and extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to their family and friends.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That appropriate copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copies.